

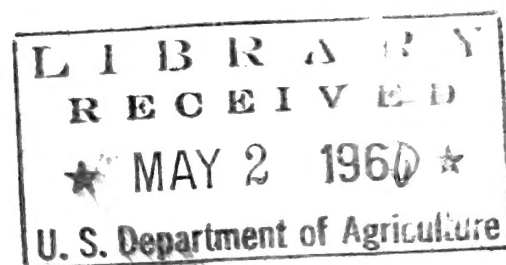
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Cherry Hill **IRIS GARDENS**

15th Annual Catalog

1960



SPECIAL SALE!
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PLEASANT VALLEY, BUCKS CO., PA.

Greetings Iris Friends!

To our many customers this greatly curtailed catalog without color plates and pictures may come as a surprise. But since we have reached the decision to retire after this season, we want to give our customers the opportunity to buy choice new and popular varieties of iris at as great a savings as possible. To do this we will cut down on unnecessary expenses but not on the quality of our plants.

The prices which we have shown are all the established prices set by the originators or introducers for 1960—**we are offering them at exactly one half the regular prices shown in our catalog.**

Fifteen years of growing iris commercially has truly made iris a part of our lives. It could not be otherwise, as there is hardly a month in the year that a commercial grower has not duties to perform, problems to meet and plans to make. We have seen the business grow larger every year—thanks to the fine support received from the growing list of iris customers, who by their annual visits and correspondence over the years have become iris friends to us rather than customers.

These fifteen years have been busy ones and we enjoyed them immensely. The rewards have been most satisfying, not from a financial standpoint by any means, but from the knowledge that our spring garden display gave pleasure and enjoyment to thousands of visitors over the years and that we were instrumental in having so many flower lovers become lasting iris fanciers.

The simple fact that we are getting older and the work and responsibilities greater and more confining is the greatest contributing factor in bringing us to the decision to retire.

This winter has been a fairly good one for iris and perennials so we expect the iris bloom to be very much better than last year. We look forward to seeing all of our old friends and customers for our last display at Cherry Hill Iris Gardens—so please do come!

OLIVER W. HOLTON
VIRGINIA B. HOLTON

**PLEASE NOTE— Kindly bring this catalog with
you if visiting gardens.**

You Are Cordially Invited to Pay Us a Visit

Our gardens are open daily from early morning to dusk, including Sundays, from April 30 until the end of the bloom season. If you live within driving distance by all means pay us a visit. You will see a fine display of modern varieties of iris as well as perennials, peonies, flowering trees and shrubs in bloom, all of which will make the trip very much worth while for all flower gardeners.

The Blooming Period

At our location the early varieties commence blooming usually the middle of May and the late varieties finish blooming by mid-June. The BEST TIME to visit the gardens in order to see the most Iris in bloom is from May 20th to June 8th—the PEAK BLOOM period from May 28th to June 3rd. We are always about six days behind the Philadelphia area. The dates given are for a normal spring and we suggest that if you are in doubt, telephone us before coming — Tel. Springtown - Fieldbrook 6-7836.

Location

Our gardens are located one half mile west of Route 212 in upper Bucks County at Pleasant Valley; watch for the turn at the north end of the village. Our sign posts will guide you when nearing Pleasant Valley. If taking the North-South Extension of the Penna. Turnpike, use the Quakertown Exit, which is just 13 miles from our gardens.

See inside back cover for map showing the best routes and distances.

Terms

Cash with order please—making check or money order payable to Cherry Hill Iris Gardens. Sorry no C.O.D. shipments. Parcel post rates have gone up again this year so we must ask that on all Iris orders under \$5.00 net, and on all orders being mailed west of the Mississippi, customers include 50¢ additional payment to help defray this expense. All other orders will be shipped postpaid. **Please use order blank on Page No. 23.**

Extras

We believe in giving you good measure so this year we will add at least 10% or more in extra iris of our own selection. We suggest that you give us a list of other varieties you might like to have on your order blank—or if you would like more in the same varieties which you have ordered, so state on your order.

Shipping Time

We will commence filling orders, in the rotation as received, during the week of July 10th and continue shipments until August 24th. Please do not ask for shipment before or after the dates shown as it will be impossible for us to comply with your request.

Regarding Called for Orders

If you wish to call for your order we would be very pleased to oblige—however, we must ask that this year you call during the hours of 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. on week days and up until noon sharp on Saturdays. The new owners of the property will be living here from June 21st on and we desire to give them complete privacy during the weekends and the evenings during the week.

If you are calling for your order, kindly state so on your order blank. We will advise you by card three or four days in advance of when they will be ready for you. Extra iris will be given to those calling equal in value to about double what the postage would have been on the order.

Proper Planting Time

This depends somewhat on location. For this latitude July to early-September gives the best results, while further north July and August are recommended. For southern states, planting may be done as late as mid-October. The idea is to plant iris early enough so that they may be well rooted before winter sets in—this prevents winter and early spring heaving.

Heaving does not kill Iris but it will greatly lessen the chances of blooming the first year. Complete cultural instructions are enclosed in each shipment.

Guarantee

Every rhizome will be freshly dug, large, vigorous and well rooted. They will be free from disease and insect pests and packed with greatest of care so as to reach you in perfect condition. Every rhizome is labeled with a copper wired printed wooden label true to name. No substitutions are made unless you so indicate on your order blank. (We might add here that customers who permit substitutions are **always** the gainers.)

Our gardens are licensed and inspected by the Penna. Dept. of Agriculture. All shipments to areas outside the Jap Beetle Zone are inspected and certified by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture here at our gardens before shipment.

IRIS AS A GIFT

If you have a friend, relative or good business customer interested in flower gardening, you would make them very happy by sending some of our Iris as a gift. Donor's card will be enclosed with the shipment—either, one you send (no writing however except your signature on account of postal regulations) or one supplied by us showing your name. Each year more and more of these growing and lasting gifts are ordered by our customers. If a special date of delivery is desired, it is necessary to order at least ten days in advance.

EVERY GARDEN SHOULD HAVE SOME IRIS PLANTINGS

Bearded Iris are considered the ideal perennial. They are very hardy, quite easy to grow and practically free from diseases and insect pests.

The basic needs for best results are drainage, sun and a moderate amount of feeding. Iris cannot stand wet ground or standing water for a long period without rotting—hence a slight slope or raised beds are desirable. They may be planted in full sun or partial shade but in order to bloom well there should be at least a half a day of sun. Bone meal is the safest food and should be worked in the ground around the plants early in the spring. Super phosphate is quicker acting—should be kept away from rhizomes however. Well rotted cow manure is very good if worked into the ground well **before** planting and kept away from the rhizomes.

Iris are not particular about the soil—of course a light, well drained fertile garden soil is best but they will grow in sandy or clay soil. We have them growing equally well in slightly alkaline and slightly acid soil.

The range in color is more extensive than in any other flower and with the various blends, bi-colors, plicatas and variegatas, the variety to choose from is almost unlimited.

Iris not only give wonderful color value and added beauty to your garden, but are excellent as cut flowers for the house. A stalk, if cut when the top flower is opening, will last a week or longer.

The American Iris Society

Every Iris lover should by all means join the above organization, one of the finest of its kind in the country. Members receive four big Bulletins (illustrated) yearly, each of which are packed full of interesting and instructive articles on Iris. You also receive free the valuable new booklet "What Every Iris Grower Should Know."

Membership costs \$5.00 per year. Send money and application for membership to The American Iris Society, 2237 Tower Grove Blvd., St. Louis 10, Missouri, or you may include the above amount with your order and we will make application for you.

COMPLETE PLANTING AND CULTURAL INSTRUCTIONS
ARE SENT WITH EVERY SHIPMENT.

GENERAL DESCRIPTIVE LIST

Descriptive Arrangements used in the listing is as follows:

Name of Variety (as registered with the A.I.S.) Name of Originator and date of introduction.
 Time of Bloom—V.E.—very early, E.—early, M.—mid-season, L.—late, V.L.—very late.
 Height of Bloom Stalks—Shown in inches.
 Awards—Shown at end of description with year in which award was given.
 Iris marked thus (*) are new listings for 1960.

EXPLANATION OF IRIS TERMS AND AWARDS

H.C.—HIGHLY COMMENDED. Awarded to outstanding Iris prior to their introduction.

H.M.—HONORABLE MENTION. Awarded annually to new Iris which receive 12 recommendation votes by accredited judges.

A.M.—AWARD OF MERIT. Highest honor next to the Dykes Medal. Awarded annually by vote of the A.I.S. judges to the 12 varieties receiving the most votes from all varieties which were awarded H.M. during past five years.

DYKES MEDAL. The highest award that can be given an Iris. Iris which receives the highest number of votes from the accredited judges of the A.I.S. from list of A.M. winners past four years.

COOK MEMORIAL CUP. Given to the most outstanding and most popular Iris at the annual National Convention. Votes are those of all members and judges in attendance.

RHIZOMES—the root division often mistakenly called bulb.

STANDARDS—the three upward petals.

FALLS—the three downward petals.

BEARD—the narrow band of short, hairlike growth formed in the center at base of falls.

TEXTURE—sheen or finish of petals.

SUBSTANCE—Thickness and durability of petals.

PLICATA—An Iris with stitched or stippled margin color on white or yellow background.

VARIEGATA—An Iris with yellow standards with deeper colored falls, with either veined or solid tones of brown or purple.

AMOENA—Iris with white standards, colored falls.

BLEND—Combination of various colors, one being yellow.

BICOLOR—two colors, light to medium standards, deeper color in falls.

SELF—An Iris of uniform color.

SPECIAL NOTE

FOR VARIETIES PRICED UNDER \$1.00, SEE PAGES 20 AND 21.

AHOY (Tompkins, '57) M.L. 38"

A bright rosy toned cherry red with great carrying power. Large flowers on strong, very well branched stalks. Extra smooth and clean.

\$10.00

ALLEGIANCE (Cook, '58) Late 40"

One of Paul Cook's newest and finest introductions. A large, beautifully ruffled very blue (navy shade) iris of excellent form. Ranked third on the Annual Judges Choice last year for the best 25 of the newer varieties. Much sought after and scarce. H.M. '58

\$25.00

ALPINE MEADOW (Stevens, '55) M. 34"

A charming and distinct new Iris by the famous New Zealand hybridist, Mrs. Stevens who has given us so many fine varieties in recent years. Standards are pure white, falls are tinted soft blue. This entirely different amoena has been described as a "blue Pinnacle."

\$3.00

ALTAR LIGHT (O. Brown, '54) M.L. 40"

Heavily ruffled flower of light buff yellow with an overlay of amber-bronze on the hafts. Excellent substance. H.M. '54.

\$3.00

ANTIQUE (Carpenter, '54) M. 34"

A most appealing blend. Medium sized flowers of pinkish tan with a delicate blue suffusion. Different.

\$1.00

ARGUS PHEASANT (DeForest, '48) M. 38"

A smooth, soft brown self which is considered the best in the light brown color class. Very large flowers with broad, flaring falls and wide standards. A.M. 1950. Winner of the Dykes Medal in 1952. 16th on Popularity Poll, 1959.

\$1.00 each

AUTUMN HUES (H. Sass, '51) E. 36"

A bigger, more ruffled Rainbow Room. Showy and desirable.

\$2.50

AZURE LAKE (Muhlestein, '52) E.M. 36"

A smoothly finished blue with falls that flare horizontally and have the heaviest ruffling of any blue Iris. Makes a most stunning display as a two year old clump. Greatly admired by visitors. H.M. '54. **\$2.00**

BAZAAR (Schreiner, '55) M. 34"

Striking new plicata of raspberry, wine purple with a clean cut white blaze in center of falls. A very large flower with broad falls and of tough, rain resistant substance. H.M. 1956. **\$2.50**

BEECHLEAF (Kleinsorge, '55) M. 36"

A very large, ruffled Iris of lively coppery brown with a violet undertone. Orange brown beard. A.M. '59. **\$5.00**

BELLA MOHR (Ohi, '55) M. 36"

A Mohr-Sable cross resulted in this lovely purple self. Color similar to Sable and size and shape of Elmohr. **\$3.00**

BETH COREY (Watkins, '57) M.L. 38"

A lovely, large medium blue. Has clarity of color adorned with a radiant yellow beard. Beautiful form and excellent branching. M.H. '57. **\$8.00**

BETTY GOOLD (Mansbridge, '55)

One of the best of the English Iris on exhibition in the Randolph garden, Ithaca, N. Y. at the 1958 Convention. We have a limited number of this most intriguing iris to offer this year. **\$5.00**

BILLET DOUX (Douglas, '46) E.M. 22"

A winsome little border iris. It is a soft blue self with cupped standards and flaring falls. This iris has been aptly called "a miniature Great Lakes." **\$1.00**

BIG TIME (Lapham, '51) M. 39"

A lustrous, large rose-red with excellent branching. Standards are bronzy Etruscan red with slight purple flush, falls are rosy red, lighter at the edges, overlaid with a blackish lustre. Beard reddish yellow. **\$1.50**

*** BLACK TAFFETA (Songer, '54) M.L. 34"**

Black-purple self, including beard. The hafts are wide and smooth. Flower nicely ruffled. A fine addition to the dark class. A.M. 1957. (19th on Popularity Poll '59) **\$5.00**

BLUE ANGEL WINGS (McKee, '49) M. 38"

A charming light blue bicolor with light blue standards, a lighter tone of blue in falls. Deeper blue in the lower part of standards. Lovely and delicate. H.M. 1949. **\$1.00**

BLUEBEARD (D. Hall, '55) M. 36"

A large, brilliant deep blue with a silky sheen. Falls very flaring with gracefully drooping tips. Beard tipped blue. **\$2.00**

*** BLUE CLIF (Hamblen, '56) M.L. 38"**

A fine new iris of Campanula violet. Perfection of form and heavy substance make this a most desirable iris. On the 1959 Judge's Choice list. H.M. '58. **\$5.00**

BLUE PARAKEET (Walters, '50) M.L. 40"

Unusually brilliant blue with chartreuse-olive brushing on the hafts. H.M. '53. **\$1.00, 3 for \$2.50**

BLUE PARASOL (Bartholomew, '59) M. 35"

This iris was introduced by us last year. An azure-blue self of great personality. Very ruffled with firmly cupped standards and wide, flaring falls. With many blooms open at the same time, it gives the effect of gay parasols. Unusual yellow hafts enhances the flower. Rapid grower. H.C. '58, H.M. '59. Our contract with the originator on this new iris prohibits any price reduction. So, if purchased, we will allow customer to select any other iris up to \$5.00 in value, free of charge. **\$15.00**

BLUE SAPPHIRE (Schreiner, '53) E. 40"

This superb light blue is one of our favorites. "Heavenly" is the most appropriate word to describe it. Beautifully ruffled and of heavy substance. Stands wind and rain well. A. M. '56. 1st on Popularity Poll in '58 and '59. Dykes Medal Winner for 1958. **\$1.50**

BLUMOHR (Marx, '49) E.M. 37"

A stunning Onco—hybrid, medium blue in color. Flowers are large and round of excellent substance and light ruffling. Hardy and quite different. **\$1.50**

BOLD COPPER (H. Sass, '50) M. 37"

An unusual, new copper brown blend. Flowers beautifully ruffled, of good substance and flaring form. Rich and radiant. **\$1.50**

*** BOWLING GREEN (Murray, '59) M. 34"**

A deep chartreuse self with very broad petals. Closed standards and oval flaring falls. Excellent substance and good branching. Heavy white beard. **\$12.50**

BREATH O'KILLARNEY (O'Brien, '58) EM. 36"

A sap-green self, ruffled, flaring, heavily subenced. Possess great charm and individuality. Winner of the N.C. Iris Society's President's Cup and H.C. in 1956. **\$15.00**

BRIGADOON (Tompkins, '55) M.L. 38"

A smooth blend of bright fuchsia red, amethyst violet and petunia purple. A most difficult color to describe according to the breeder but claimed to be the brightest Iris and possessing the most carrying power of any that he has ever grown. The heavily subenced flowers are large, beautifully formed and have softly ruffled petals. Tall strong stalks with excellent branching. H.C. 1954, H.M. 1955. Always greatly admired by visitors. (Popularity Poll '59.) **\$10.00**

BROADRIPPLE (Buss, '52) M. 38"

The largest and broadest petalled Iris on the market to date. While gigantic it is well proportioned and refined in its form. Color is a soft aster blue—lighter in center. Good branching on sturdy stalks. **\$3.00**

BROADWAY STAR (Schreiner, '57) M.L. 38"

A new rose and cream bi-color of classic form and good branching. Beautiful and refreshingly different. H.M. '57. **\$7.50**

BRONZE BELL (Schreiner, '57) E.M. 36"

A very large flower of highly polished copper color with a heavy metallic lustre. Flower very large and superbly ruffled. Claimed to be far superior to any other iris in this color class.

Popularity Poll '59. This iris is patented so must by law charge the established price of **\$15.00.**

BUTTERSCOTCH KISS (Plough, '57) M.L. 36"

The general effect is butterscotch yellow with a gold dust glitter over all. An orchid cast is seen in some lights. Flowers are large, heavily subenced with petals heavily laced. Much sought after. Popularity Poll '59, A.M. '59. Stock scarce. **\$22.50**

CAPTAIN FLINT (Dolman, '49) M. 40"

A tall, vigorous reddish purple. A good performer and an Iris which we highly recommend. Stunning in a clump. Fragrant. **\$1.00**

CARAMEL (Lowry, '54) M. 36"

A stunning Iris of a soft caramel tone, deeper color at the hafts. Very flaring with a perky appearance which is most appealing. H.M. 1954. **\$3.50**

CARMELA (Schreiner, '55) M. 38"

A much crinkled, frilly and ruffly golden honey toned Iris. Supposed to be by far the laciest and most exotic of all the new "Crinkled" Iris. A.M. 1958. On Popularity Poll, '59. **\$3.50**

CASCADIAN (Linse, '52) E.M. 36"

Very wide ruffled white with greenish cast through center of falls. H.M. '57. **\$1.50**

CATHERINE CLAAR (Claar, '55) V.L. 42"

An almost black and white amoena. Pure white standards, falls broad and velvety of dark blue-black. A very showy Iris. **\$3.00**

CELESTIA (Pierce, '57) M. 35"

This gorgeous light blue attracted much attention at the 1957 Convention as well as here in our guest seeding bed in 1957 where it was second in the voting. Pure blue of wonderful form and fine branching. **\$5.00**

CENTENNIAL QUEEN (Wallace, '54) M. 38"

A rich blending of colors gives a light rosy red effect. Large, heavily ruffled flowers on tall, well-branched stalks. **\$3.00**

CHAMPAGNE VELVET (H. Sass, '55) M. 36"

Satin white plicata bordered with a half inch of bright violet made up of minute dots. Large and showy. H.M. 1958. **\$7.50**

CHERIE (D. Hall, '47) V.E. 34"

Pink self of good form and substance. Tangerine beard. Vigorous in growth, good branching and a fairly rapid increaser. Winner of Dykes Medal 1951. On Pop. Poll '59. **\$1.00**

CHERRY FALLS (Douglas, '53) M.L. 24"

A delightful border Iris. The yellow standards and bright, velvety red falls present a lively picture which never fails to catch one's eye. H.M. 1953. **\$2.00**

CHINESE LANTERN (Fay, '57) M. 42"

Large, deep yellow self with an exceptionally bright tangerine beard. Very tall, well branched stems; plants large and vigorous. H.M. 1958. **\$10.00**

CHIVALRY (J. Wills, '44) M. 36"

An outstanding blue which won the Dykes Medal for 1947. Large flower of excellent substance. Deeper in color than Great Lakes. Ruffled standards and falls. Vigorous grower and well branched stalks. A real quality Iris. Has been at or near the top in the Popularity Poll for the past thirteen years. **\$1.00**

CHEWINK (Williamson, '37) L. 24"

A charming little table iris of light blue with a bright yellow beard. A dainty flower on slender wiry stems. **\$1.00**

CINNAMON TOAST (Sass, '53) M.L. 36"

A large plicata with very broad petals and heavy substance. Ground color is deep creamy ivory with petals and falls bordered heavily sanded rich red brown. Husky plants. H.M. '53. **\$2.50**

CLIFFS OF DOVER (O. Fay, '53) M. 36"

Large, flaring and ruffled pure white flowers of great substance. Light yellow beard Blue-green foliage. Good grower. 21st on Popularity Poll '59. **\$1.50**

CLOUDCAP (DeForest, '50) M. 40"

Largest of the shell pinks. Broad seven-inch petals which are semi-flaring and slightly ruffled. On Favorite 100 List. H.M. 1951. **\$1.00**

COLLEGIATE (D. Hall, '55) M. 33"

An ivory-white Iris with the color of a ripe cantaloupe at the base of the standards and at the haft. Under side of the falls is yellow and buds are yellow also. **\$2.00**

COLOR CARNIVAL (DeForest, '49) E.M. 37"

A deep shade of pink in both standards and falls with bold dashes of vivid purple on the falls. Tangerine red beard. Large flowers. A much discussed Iris, and one which is entirely different. **\$1.50**

COLOR SERGEANT (H.F. Hall, '49) M.L. 36"

A handsome iris of rich ruby red with a deeper velvety flush on the falls. Large, ruffled and a vigorous grower. **\$1.50**

CONCORD VELVET (Crosby, '52) E.M. 38"

A large, smooth, rich Concord grape purple. Good branching on tall stalks. A quality Iris, which has been greatly overlooked. Highly recommended. H.M. 1952. **\$1.00**

CONQUEROR (J. Wells, '57) M. 37"

A new deep red from California—a rich deep red of crimson Maple leaves in the fall. An exceptional garden plant because of its rapid growth and abundant bloom. **\$2.50**

CONSTANT COMMENT (D. Hall, 1954) M. 36"

Pinkish apricot with an exceptionally brilliant and heavy red-orange beard. Large flowers of heavy substance are ruffled with finely notched edges. A husky grower. H.M. 1956. **\$1.50**

COPPER GOLD (H.F. Hall, '52) M. 39"

A beautiful iris of golden toned copper blend. Good substance and excellent branching. A quality iris with great garden value. **\$1.50**

CORNELL CHEER (Randolph-unregistered) M. 26"

A cute, perky border Iris bred by Dr. Randolph in the experimental Iris gardens at Ithaca, New York. A rose-orchid pink with bright tangerine beard. It attracted the attention of our visitors in 1955 when first displayed and sold all we could spare to its many admirers. **\$1.00**

CORONATION GOLD (H.F. Hall, '52) M.L. 40"

A large smoothly finished flower of glowing golden orange without a trace of any other color, even to the beard. The flowers do not fade and are well spaced on strong nicely branched stalks. Very fine. **\$2.50**

CORONATION RED (H.F. Hall, '53) M.L. 39"

A bi-tone of glowing Oxblood red which won great praise at the A.I.S. Convention in Massachusetts. The broad standards are of a slightly lighter tone than the wide flaring falls. Has a rich velvety finish and color holds well in sun or rain. **\$2.00**

CRICKET (Knowlton, '55) M.L. 25"

An appealing variegata border Iris. Vivid orange yellow with a smooth brown glaze over the falls. A good grower and bloomer. **\$2.00**

**CRINKLED IVORY (Schreiner, '58)
E.M. 34"**

A large flower with exceedingly broad standards and falls of glistening, sparkling ivory cream, flushed a cool lemon at the haft. It's crystalline, translucent texture gives it an ethereal type of beauty. (H.M. '59) **\$12.00**

CRINKLED RIBBON (Schreiner, '56) M. 38"

A large broad petaled flower in the crinkled type Iris. A subtle blend of pink, apricot and salmon with a delicate lavender blue center in the falls. **\$2.50**

CRISPETTE (Schreiner, '54) E.M. 34"

Beautifully formed Iris with fluted petals and lacey edging of deep orchid color. Has fine carrying power A.M. 1957. On Popularity Poll 1959. **\$3.00**

CUBAN CARNIVAL (Sass, '48) M. 36"

A richly colored and heavily washed plicata. Ground color cream with heavy rich violet red markings. Gold beard. A striking Iris that is different and catches one's eye immediately. Small rhizomes. **\$1.00**

*** DEEP BLACK (Cook, '55) M.L. 35"**

A fine new dark iris of blackish violet with a velvety finish. Falls are solid jet black. Glowing deep violet beard. **\$5.00**

*** DELHI (Schreiner '59) E.M. 36"**

A new plicata of the same coloration as Firecracker but larger, broader and taller. **\$12.00**

DESERT TWILIGHT (Miess, '52) M. 40"

The flower is a pastel shade of delicate violet-lobelia, fused with a warm mauve wood brown at the haft, and a deep golden beard. It has large, well spaced blooms, thick petals and well branched stems. Falls flaring, standards closed. Falls and standards ruffled. H.M. 1952. **\$3.00**

DIANEVA (F. Cook, '53) E.M. 36"

An improved Minnie Colquit. Early and dependable grower. **\$2.00**

DOROTHEA K. WILLIAMSON, Late 28"

A hybrid of the beardless species Fulva and Foliosa. Large velvety flowers of the most vivid purple. Fine as a cut flower. **\$1.00**

*** DOTTED SWISS (Sass 1955) E.M. 37"**

A gorgeous new plicata — clear shade of pastel blue sanded and dotted on white. Large flower of round form and strach-like texture. A.M. 1958. Popularity Poll 1959. **\$10.00**

DOWN BEAT (Tompkins, '56) L. 40"

A very deep and rich violet blue self of large size and tailored form. Smooth satiny finish. Tall, husky grower. **\$3.50**

DOWN EAST (Tobie, '43) M. 37"

Deep, glowing dark purple throughout entire flower, even to the beard. H.M. 1943. **\$1.00**

EASTER GREETINGS (Miess, '55) V.E. 36"

A new white from California which is claimed to top all whites in form, substance and truly horizontal falls. It is a pure white with a bright yellow beard. Blooms are slightly ruffled and carried on well branched, 3 ft. stalks. Early bloomer. **\$4.00**

ELEANOR'S PRIDE (Watkins, '56) M. 39"

A beautiful powder blue self with a white beard. The whole flower is ruffled and has great weather resistance. In the Judges Choice Balloting it was runner-up for the best of the very new varieties in 1957. A must have in its color class. **\$10.00**

ELMOHR (Loomis, '42) M. 36"

A beautiful Iris of immense size and rich coloring. It is a gorgeous shade of reddish mulberry. The flower of heavy texture, has a gloss and lustre which makes it a stand-out. Won the Dykes Medal for 1945. **\$1.00**

*** EMMA COOK (Cook 1959) M. 36"**

A new amoena whose pleasing color pattern has attracted everyone. Standards pure white, falls white, with half inch border of dark violet solid to very edge. Moderately ruffled H.M. '59 and near the top on the '59 Judges List of best of the new varieties. Stock scarce. **\$25.00**

EMPRESS EUGENIE (Lyon, '52) M. 38"

A rich empire yellow with a glistening finish. A large flower with flaring form and heavy substance. Has great carrying power. H.M. 1954. **\$1.00**

ENCHANTED VIOLET (Hamblen, '58)
Late 36"

A gorgeous light violet with a flash of pink and orchid in the center of the falls. Bright tangerine beard. Wide, ruffled and heavily substanted. H.M. 1958. 6th on '59 Judges Choice List. **\$15.00**

EXOTIC BLUE (Randolph, '57) E.M. 36"

A unique Iris which was most popular at the Convention in N.Y. last year. Soft grayish blue with bright olive brushing on the hafts, beard olive brown. Good form and substance. Runner up for the Cook Award '58. On Judges Choice List '59. **\$15.00**

FAIRDAY (McKee, '52) M. 40"

A tall, large near Amoena. The standards are very broad and domed, and when first open are a pale cream, changing to white when fully open. The flaring falls are mimosa gold with an edging of white. Different from any other iris. **\$1.00**

FALL DAYS (Smith, '47) M. 40"

Rosy bronze standards, rose brown falls, with a high metallic sheen. A two year old clump is an eye-catcher. **\$1.00**

FANCYWORK (Craig, '51) E.M. 40"

A Mohr type flower and veining. Burgundy over lighter ground color. **\$2.50**

FINEST HOUR (Stevens, '58) M. 38"

Mrs. Stevens scored another color break in this first red and white amoena. This Iris has white standards faintly flushed lemon at the base, and plum-red, flaring falls. **\$10.00**

FIRE DANCE (Fay, '47) M. 40"

A burgundy-red plicata, with standards and falls heavily marked all over with this color on a buff ground color. A much deeper, richer and taller Firecracker. Attracts attention of everyone. **\$1.00**

FIRETAIL (Schreiner, '55) M.L. 40"

A huge, tall yellow plicata with trim margins of cinnamon tan. An imposing Iris with great landscape value. **\$3.00**

FIRST VIOLET (DeForest, '52) M. 38"

A clean, sparkling violet self. Large, beautifully formed flaring flowers of excellent substance. Stalks are tall and well branched. A.M. 1955. Dykes Medal 1956. (8th in '59 Pop. Poll) **\$4.00**

FRANCIS CRAIG (Craig, '52) E. 38"

An immense Mohr hybrid of silvery lavender blue. Flowers are of good substance and carried nicely on tall, well branched stems. A.M. 1955. **\$2.00**

FRANCES KENT (DeForest, '51) M. 38"

Standards are deep cream slightly flushed pink. Falls icy ivory, lightly tinted pink with a pink beard. Flowers of good size and nicely ruffled. It is not only lovely but truly distinctive. A.M. 1954. **\$1.00**

FREE GOLD (Miess, '57) M. 30"

A new sparkling pure sunflower yellow self. Large heavily ruffled flowers. Petals wide and falls nearly horizontal. **\$12.50**

FRILLS (Bickle - ?) M. 22"

A dainty yellow table iris of medium shade. A large clump of this perky little iris is most appealing. Greatly admired by all visitors to the Bickle garden in Montreal during the A.I.S. Convention 1955. **\$1.50**

FRIVOL (Whiting, '54) M. 36"

An attractive rose and gold blend with heavily laced and fluted edges on all petals. Quite unique. **\$1.00**

FRONT PAGE (Kleinsorge, '55) M. 37"

A new seedling of solid gold. Ground color is a deep red-gold, lightening to almost white in central part of falls. A large flower with tremendous carrying power. H.M. 1956. **\$3.50**

FROST & FLAME (D. Hall, '57) M. 46"

A snow-white iris with a tangerine beard. Large thick petaled flowers on very stiff tall stems. Very showy. This Iris was first choice in the voting for Award of Merit 1959. **\$10.00**

FUCHSIA (David Hall, '51)

Deeply colored raspberry pink with a thick, almost red beard. Flaring falls, slightly waved. Rich and vivid. H.M. '53. **\$1.50**

GALILEE (Fay, 1956) M. 34"

A medium blue self with a white beard. A beautiful shade of turquoise blue which does not fade. A different blue than any other. A strong plant with blue green leaves. A.M. 1958. Pop. Poll 1959. **\$15.00**

**GALLANT KNIGHT (Tompkins, '53)
M.L. 38"**

A deep mahogany blend of beautiful form and velvety, ruffled petals. Standards are a glowing red brown and the falls rich chocolate red or mahogany. **\$1.00**

GARDEN GOLD (D. Hall, '56) M. 36"

Deep chrome-yellow throughout with a fiery orange-red beard, which sets it apart from all other yellows. **\$3.50**

**GAY ADVENTURE (Hamblen, '57)
E.M. 36"**

A very wide, greyed blue-violet self. Flaring form and exceptionally heavy substance. Lemon beard. **\$7.50**

GAY HEAD (Knowlton, '54) M. 37"

An attractive true variegata. Standards are clear bright yellow and nicely ruffled; falls deep maroon with a solid border of clean yellow. H.M. '54. **\$3.50**

GAY LAVINIA (Schreiner, '54) M.L. 38"

A pure, glowing white bred from two flamingo pinks. The contrasting rich, tangerine-red beard gives it a most distinctive appearance. An eye-catcher. H.M. 1956 **\$3.00**

GAYLORD (Douglas, 1950) L. 38"

Standards are pure white, falls a deep velvety, violet-blue. Most outstanding. H.M. 1949. **\$2.00**

GAY ORCHID (Muhlestein, '49) E.M. 36"

A large, smoothly colored smoky orchid. Flaring form and brilliant tangerine beard. Different. H.M. 1949. **\$1.00**

GOLD CUP (Murray, '56) E.M. 38"

Very large slightly ruffled rich, deep yellow. Runner-up for the Pres. Cup in 1956. A.M. 1959. **\$6.00**

GOLDEN CROWN (Kleinsorge, '54) M. 36"

Standards old gold in color, falls a rich plush-like brownish maroon velvet. Large flowers with flaring falls. Brilliant and lively. **\$2.50**

GOLDEN GLEAM (E. Miess, '51) M. 36"

A quality flower of dandelion yellow with striations of cream at the hafts. Falls and standards ruffled. Heavy substance. Very low branched with 9 to 11 buds. H.M. 1952. Unusual. **\$1.00**

GOLDEN IVORY (Miess, '57) L. 30"

A very large cream and yellow iris of horizontal; form with petals heavily waved and fluted. Hafts and beard bright gold-center of falls cream, edged gold. **\$7.50**

GOLDEN RULE (H.F. Hall, '50) M.L. 40"

A very fine yellow self — a smoothly finished deep orange yellow. Closed standards and broad, flaring falls. Well branched. **\$2.00**

GOLDEN RUSSET (Hall, '46) M. 40"

One of the largest flowers found on any Iris (7" high). The name gives the color of this Hall creation. Tall, vigorous grower. H.M. 1949. **\$1.00**

GRAND TETON (DeForest, '56) M. 38"

A huge, near self of wax yellow, falls slightly deeper. Flowers measure 7-8". Wide standards and falls, both of which are very ruffled and of excellent substance. H.M. 1957. **\$12.00**

GREEN CHANCE (Murray, '55) E.M.

A chartreuse bi-color with falls that are almost green. Lacks somewhat in substance but an interesting Iris. **\$2.00**

GREEN IVORY (Muhlestein, '53) M.L. 36"

Extra large, wide ivory with a greenish cast. Get this one if you like large flowers. **\$2.00**

GREEN MOHR (Muhlestein, '51) M.L. 37"

A large, beautifully formed flower of the Mohr type. Decidedly greenish cast with a flush of lavender over the falls when first opened. Pales to a chartreuse color. Quite unique. H.M. 1952. Small rhizomes. **\$1.50**

HALLSWORTHY (H. F. Hall, '56) M. 38"

An imposing, large cream, almost a self except for a delicate overlay of opalescent rosy-lavender in the center of the falls. Standards are closed and ruffled, falls semi-drooping and wavy. Petals of heavy substance on sturdy stalks. Buds have a decided greenish cast. **\$4.00**

HALOLIGHT (Schreiner, '53) L. 42"

A subtle blend of golden buff and apricot. Excellent form and branching. Tall and a late bloomer. **\$3.00**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY (D. Hall, '52) M. 36"

Tops in the flamingo pinks to date. Large ruffled flower with excellent form and color. Heavy stalks, good substance and a rapid increaser. Leading pink on the popularity poll. A.M. 1954. Ranks #6 on the 1959 Popularity Poll and leads all pinks. An ideal birthday present in every way. **\$1.50**

HARBOR BLUE (Schreiner, '54) M.L. 40"

A large, light sapphire blue of almost perfect form. Rich, glossy textured flowers of excellent substance making them almost practically wind and weather proof. H.M. 1955. A.M. '57. **\$2.50**

HEATHERMIST (Mrs. Lowry, '57) M. 36"

Exquisite and delicate in color, this ruffled and slightly lacey iris is in tones of pastel lilac and mineral violet. Falls wide and flaring. H.C. '54. **\$12.50**

HEAVENS ABOVE (Graves — unregistered) M. 37"

A pure light blue self of medium size and beautiful form. Strong grower—producing many flowers on well branched stalks. **\$1.00**

HELEN COLLINGWOOD (K. Smith, '49) M.L. 40"

A neglecta of great brilliance. The broad standards are light lavender, the flaring falls are violet purple. Flowers have heavy substance and are carried on tall, sturdy stalks with good branching. A distinctive Iris. Popular 100 List. A.M. 1952. **\$1.50**

HELEN McKENZIE (Graves, '50) M. 37"

Supposed to be the whitest Iris in existence. Pure with no haft markings or veining. Standards domed and firm, falls broad and flaring. Blooms perfectly placed on well branched stalks. H.M. 1950. **\$1.50**

HONOR BRIGHT (DeForest, '51) M. 36"

Large chrome yellow plicata, with center flush of orange. White patch in falls. H.M. 1951. **\$1.00**

HUMMING BIRD (Knowlton, '52) M. 40"

A charming Iris by the recent president of the American Iris Society. The standards are Egyptian buff, the flaring, ruffled falls are white, lightly bordered with the buff of the standards. Orange beard. Flowers are of firm texture and are on strong, well branched stalks. H.M. 1952. **\$2.00**

HYBLAZE (H.F. Hall, '52) M. 40"

A splendid new two-tone red which does not fade or wash out. The firmly domed standards are crimson and the falls are oxblood red with borders of crimson as in the standards. An excellent performer and a striking Iris. **\$2.00**

ICE CANYON (Voris, '56) M.L. 34"

An Amoena with pure white standards and light blue falls. Flowers of medium size and good substance. A fast multiplier. Blooms mid-season on heavy stalks. **\$3.00**

ICE CARNIVAL (Watkins-Graves, '54) M.L. 38"

A reverse blue bicolor. A very flaring flower with white falls and full standards of light azure blue. Whole flower is very much frilled and ruffled. Altogether a charming and delightful Iris. H.M. 1954. **\$5.00**

ILLUSTRIOUS (Hall, '53) L. 36"

A new large rich deep blue—almost indigo. The last of the blues to bloom. Excellent branching. **\$1.50**

INCA CHIEF (Mitsch, '52) M.L. 35"

A brilliant, lustrous, burnished golden bronze, evenly colored throughout. It is of immense size, perfectly proportioned with gentle ruffling. Highest ranking Iris in its color class on the Popularity Poll this year. A.M. 1954. **\$2.00**

INDIAN RED (H.F. Hall, '49) M. 36"

Colorful flowers of medium size in reddish brown. Flaring falls. Good heavy substance. **\$1.00**

INVERNESS (Watkins, '57) M. 36"

The newest white of the master hybridizer, Ed Watkins. The whitest of white, making many other whites creamy by comparison. Has arched and flaring falls and a white beard. A real aristocrat. H.C. '56. **\$15.00**

IVORY PETAL (H. Sass, '52) M.L. 36"

Cream buff self with slight bluish cast thru center of flower and a slight blue blotch around beard. **\$1.00**

JANE PHILLIPS (Graves, '50) M. 38"

A new light blue, deeper in color than its parent Helen McGregor, but similar in form and size. A real true blue shade. Truly a top quality light blue and a fine doer in every respect. A.M. 1952. Popularity Poll. **\$1.00**

JERICO (McKee, '50) M. 40"

A large deep orange self with a blaze of tan on the semiflaring falls. Blooms are beautifully formed and have exceptional substance for a large flower. **\$1.50**

JILL (Dolman, '52) E.M. 34"

A perky little blue Iris of great charm. The flowers are ruffled and very flaring, and particularly well placed in the established clump, giving a very lively garden effect. Stands wind and rain exceptionally well. A strong grower and rapid increaser. **\$1.00**

JUNE MEREDITH (Muhlestein, '54) M.L. 36"

Very rich deep pink self with good form and substance. Heavy tangerine beard. In the opinion of many fanciers this is the best of all pinks to date. A.M. 1956. Runner-up for the Dykes Medal in 1958. 9th on Popularity Poll, '59. **\$6.00**

KERLIELLO (Dolman, '53) E.M. 37"

Large, ruffled flowers of medium yellow shade-bright and colorful. Flowers of excellent substance on strong stalks—resulting in its standing wind and rain as well as any Iris in our garden. Starts blooming early and has a long blooming period. A most satisfactory yellow in every respect. (Pronounced—Curly—Yellow). **\$1.00**

KEZAR LAKE (Knowlton, '51) M. 38"

A clear medium blue self. Large flowers which are more blue than Great Lakes. Tall with excellent branching. Stands wind, sun and rain exceedingly well. **\$1.50**

KIKI (Graves, '51) M. 39"

A descendant of Helen McGregor, but a much deeper blue. It's glistening, frosty sheen and clarity of color makes it an Iris of distinction by that master breeder of blues, the late Dr. Graves. H.M. 1953. **\$5.00**

KIM (McKee, '51) M. 40"

A beautifully formed large plicata with a narrow stitching of blue-violet on white ground color. Showy. H.M. 1951. **\$1.50**

LADY MOHR (Salback, '44) V.E. 36"

An unusual and distinctive Iris of the Wm. Mohr family. An exotic combination of oyster white standards and falls a pale greenish-yellow with prominent veining and a dark patch of red violet surrounding the beard. On Popularity Poll. A.M. 1946. **\$1.00**

LAKE WALDEN (Mrs. Fraim, '53) M.L. 38"

An outstanding blue bi-tone. Standards are a light blue with medium blue falls. Gives a very blue effect in the garden. Bound to be popular. **\$2.00**

LANTANA (DeForest, '54) M. 36"

A very brilliant Iris, having a golden tan ground flushed with the sunset colors of the lantana. H.M. 1956. **\$3.50**

LATE APRICOT (Muhlestein, '57) L. 34"

Lovely smooth apricot colored Iris with light ivory area in center of falls. Flower tailored in appearance. **\$5.00**

LATE SNOW (Douglas, '53) Late 42"

A new late blooming white which will prolong the season of white Iris in the garden. A tailored, pure white with trace of pale yellow in beard. Very tall, wide branching and rapid increaser. **\$1.50**

LAVANESQUE (Schreiner, '53) E. 40"

Exquisite orchid-pink tone, emphasized by a gold beard and haft. Nicely ruffled and frilled with tightly closed standards and semi-flaring falls. A.M. 1959. On 1959 Popularity List. **\$2.00**

LEADING LADY (Lyell, '50) E.M. 37"

Standards are bright pale yellow — Falls creamy white-edged bright yellow. An established clump puts on a stunning show. A.M. '54. **\$1.00**

LILAC LANE (Whiting, '48) M. 38"

A delicate toned lilac self with a pearly iridescence. Beard pale yellow. Large with broad flaring falls and nice ruffling. Attracts plenty of attention. **\$1.00**

LIMELIGHT (David Hall, '52) M. 35"

A large ruffled and frilly Iris of canary-yellow to greenish yellow, with a lighter area on the falls. The lace like blossoms are both novel and beautiful. One of our favorites. A.M. 1954. 10th on Popularity Poll. **\$2.00**

LYNN HALL (D. Hall, '57) E.M. 36"

A very deep and uniform shade of pink. Flowers freely, beautifully branched and rapid increaser. Has attracted much attention as a seedling. A.M. '59. **\$10.00**

LYNN LANGFORD (Hall, '46) M. 36"

A deep toned orchid pink with golden, yellow center. Smooth with no veining. Flower large and of good substance. Free bloomer and very popular. A.M. 1950. **\$1.00**

MAC-O-CHEE (Wickersham, '56) M. 34"

A rosy-brown blend with deeper hafts and an electric blue flush in center of falls. Brown beard. **\$5.00**

MAGIC SAILS (Nesmith, '51) E.M. 38"

A very large pale blue self with a silvery lustre not found in many pale blue Iris. The slightly ruffled flower has firm substance on strong, well branched stalks. Beard a pale yellow, tipped white. H.M. '51. **\$4.00**

MAJOR EFF (Watkins, '55) M. 39"

Much darker in color than other Watkin's blues—it is a medium violet blue self with an almost white beard. Semi-flaring with slightly ruffled. A top quality blue by the master blue breeder who was awarded the Hybridizers Medal for 1957 by the A.I.S. H.M. '56. **\$8.00**

MAJORETTE (Miess, '53) M. 36"

Of this recent introduction, Miss Elma Miess, the well known California hybridizer, states "it is as jaunty and saucy as a majorette strutting down the street. Falls are a deep maroon, accentuated by a pure white beard and epaulet white plicata markings at the haft. Standards are like a rosy-mauve majorette's tall hat. Withstands sun and hot weather for days. Graceful ruffling and falls flaring. A standout. A.M. 1956. 1959 Popularity Poll. **\$4.00**

MARY RANDALL (Fay, '51) M. 36"

Large, well formed flowers in a deep rose pink—a new color break. Flowers are nicely spaced on well branched stalks. A.M. 1953, Winner of the Dykes Medal in 1954. 3rd on Popularity Poll 1959. **\$3.50**

MAY HALL (D. Hall, 1954) M. 36"

In Mr. Hall's opinion this is the finest Iris he has produced in the flamingo—pink class. It is a clear, bright light pink with better form and substance than any others to date. Many flowers on good branching. Stock limited. A.M. 1956. **\$3.50**

MAYTIME (Whiting, '50) M.L. 40"

A two tone lilac-pink which is really a beauty. Nearly an Amoena. An Iris which will make a fine addition to any collection. A.M. 1953. **\$1.50**

MELODRAMA (Cook, '56) M. 40"

A large, attractive bitone, the color deepening gradually from pale violet in the standards to deep lilac in the flaring falls. Strong growing plant, flowers moderately waved and ruffled. Greatly in demand and stock scarce. A.M. 1958. Pop. Poll 1959. **\$20.00**

MELODY LANE (Hall, '49) E. 36"

A bright glistening golden apricot. The flowers are very large, of good form with a large brilliant deep tangerine beard—the latter comes from its flamingo pink parents. An early bloomer. A.M. 1952. **\$1.00**

MELOLITE (Lowry, '58) M. 34"

A ruffled, soft yellow self with a slight semblance of lime. Profuse bloomer with heavy substance, good branching and heavy stalks. H.M. 1958. **\$12.50**

MEMPHIS BELLE (Pierce, '52) M. 38"

An orchid-pink with great garden value. A quality Iris which is highly regarded. H.M. 1952. **\$2.50**

MIDNIGHT BLUE (Schreiner, '54) E.M. 34"

A pert, trimly tailored blue-black flower with deep violet overtones. Bred from Black Forest and Chivalry and half way between in color. Has a silky sheen and highly floriferous. H.M. '56. **\$1.50**

MINUET (Kleinsorge, '49) M. 40"

A heavily ruffled blend, predominantly old gold in color but with falls of delicate lavender blue bordered with old gold. Orange beard, flaring falls. **\$1.00**

MOHR MAJESTY (Walker, '52) M. 36"

Full rounded Mohr shape. Buff standards, falls buff overlaid wine. H.M. '52 **\$1.00**

MYSTIC MELODY (Stevens, '51) M.L. 39"

A sister seedling of Summit. Deep butter-yellow falls and standards of shimmering cream. Very low branching. A very lovely and distinct new Iris from Mrs. Stevens of New Zealand. A.M. 1953. **\$1.00**

*** NASHOBA (Carney, '57) M.L. 32"**

Beautifully ruffled white recently introduced. There are no markings and the beard is snowy white also. **\$12.00**

NATIVE DANCER (O. Fay, '54) M. 38"

Large light peach-pink flowers with a tangerine beard. Main bloom stalk will produce 12 flowers of beautiful form and excellent substance. A.M. '57. **\$3.50**

NEW HOPE (DeForest, '50) E.M. 40"

A large, tall plicata with white ground color, falls and standards heavily bordered violet blue. Heavily substandard flowers. H.M. '47. A dandy. **\$1.00**

NEW SNOW (Fay, '46) M. 40"

Pure white with bright yellow beard. Flowers are large and ruffled on tall, well branched stalks. A high quality new white. A.M. 1948. Runner-up for the Dykes Medal in 1951. On '59 Popularity Poll. **\$1.00**

NORTHWESTERN (Cook, '51) M. 38"

Color is royal purple. Clear, bright and pure in color throughout even to the haft and beard. Flowers are large, well domed standards, wide falls and nice ruffling. Large number of bloom over a long season. Rapid increaser. A.M. 1953. **\$1.50**

OH, SUZANNA (K. Smith, '43) M. 36"

Flowers are medium shade of yellow with heavy maroon veining on the falls. Different Fragrant. **\$1.00**

OLIVETTE (Jonas, '57) M. 38"

A green Iris with form and height. Standards are citron yellow deepening at the base; falls are olive yellow with a light yellow beard. Flowers are large, broad petaled, well formed and ruffled. **\$10.00**

ONONDAGA (Tom Hall, '58) M. 34"

A very fine new red which won much praise at the 1958 A.I.S. Convention. It is a bright mahogany red self. The falls have a very bright metallic sheen which makes it an "eye-catcher." Closed standards, semi-flaring falls. Takes the sun without fading. Highly recommended. Stock limited **\$10.00**

ORANGE CREAMO (Muhlestein, '53) M. 38"

Flaring orange-apricot self with good substance. Tall and well branched with wide full flowers. **\$4.00**

ORANGE GEM (McKee, '48) M. 40"

A lovely large orange self with an orange beard. The flowers are beautifully formed, of heavy substance, and the orange coloring is even and rich. H.M. '48. **\$1.00**

ORELIO (DeForest, '47) M.L. 37"

A handsome bright brown-red with gold lined haft. Flowers flaring, wide and of good substance. Very showy. **\$1.00**

PACEMAKER (Lapham, '50) E.M. 36"

Large, wide and full bodied smooth red with a velvety texture. Good form and branching. **\$1.00**

PAGAN PRINCESS (Douglas, '48) M. 38"

Deep rosy pink with a tangerine beard. A bright clear flower which is most effective in the garden. H.M. 1948. **\$1.00**

PALOMINO (Hall, '52) M. 36"

Related to the famous Hall pinks, but quite different from all of them. Pink is found in the standards, falls are pale ivory with an amber-copper border. The dominant beard is a very bright red. Excellent size, form and substance. An Iris which will be in great demand for years. A.M. 1954. 5th on Popularity Poll. Runner-up for Dykes Medal 1956, '57 and '59. **\$2.00**

PANAY (McKEE, '55) M. 38"

A jaunty, medium sized flower with oyster white standards, edged sparkling gold. Falls jonquil with a bronzy-green cast, edged sparkling gold. Falls wide and very flaring. Flowers are of exceptionally heavy substance (best we have ever seen) and have a long blooming period. **\$2.00**

PARADISE PINK (Lapham, '50) L. 33"

A deep, clear flamingo pink, which does not fade and stands wind and rain superbly. Vigorous grower and a plant soon makes a large clump. H.M. '52. **\$1.00**

PASTELLA (D. Hall, '53) M.36"

Extra large, lavender rose self. Tangerine beard. An outstanding new Iris of an uncommon color tone. H.M. 1956. **\$1.00**

PATRICIAN (H.F. Hall, '53) M. 36"

An imposing new Iris rich in grace and beauty. It is a pure white with a broad overlay of Barium yellow on the upper part of the very flaring falls. Closed standards of smoothly finished texture. Flowers of heavy substance, good branching and strong stalks. Won the Cook Memorial Cup at the 1958 A.I.S. Convention. A.M. 1958. Popularity Poll 1959. **\$4.00**

PEACHERINO (Dolman, '54) M. 38"

A charming peach and white bicolor. Standards are a soft peach, falls a warm white, lightly edged peach. Heavy overlay of peach on the shoulders. Beard peach-tangerine. Stands up well in wind or rain. Attracts plenty of attention. **\$1.50**

PENN CHARTER (H. F. Hall, '48) Late 40"

A brilliant yellow self of flaring form with a glistening finish. The almost horizontal falls are slightly ruffled at the tips. A tall, clean cut Iris with great garden value. **\$1.00**

PHALANX (Schreiner, '51) E. 36"

A novelty Iris due to its unusual fuchsia hue. Falls have a sheen of metallic rose enhanced by a blue blaze in the center, reminding one of the lustre of a shining Christmas tree ornament. **\$1.00**

PIERRE MENARD (Faught, '48) M. 38"

One of the medium blues. Introducer calls it a Hyacinth-blue. Beard is canary yellow. Large flowers, very flaring in form. A highly praised Iris. A.M. 1950. 11th on Popularity Poll 1959. **\$1.00**

PINK CHIMES (D. Hall, '57) E.M. 34"

An improved Pink Sensation — deeper in color and smoother in finish. There is a smooth overlay of old gold near the base of the standards. Prolific and very free blooming. **\$5.00**

PINK CONFECTION (Muhlestein, '53) M. 38"

A very large, wide somewhat ruffled baby-ribbon pink—and it is very pink. Strong, well branched stalks. Sister to Pink Fulfillment, which won the President's Cup at the A.I.S. Convention 1954. **\$3.00**

PINK ENCHANTMENT (Muhlestein, '54) E.M. 38"

The deepest pink brought out to date by Tell Muhlestein and one which is proving to be a remarkable parent for deepening the pink color. Semi-flaring falls with a bright cerise beard. H.M. 1954. A.M. 1957. **\$20.00**

PINK POMP (Madsen, '56) M.L. 34"

Deep pink self that gives a very pink garden effect. Later blooming than most of the pinks. Big seller last year. **\$6.00**

PINK SENSATION (Hall, '48) V.E. 33"

True delicate light pink with no lilac or salmon tones—contrasting tangerine beard. Large flower, full and rounded in form. Very early. One of the best. Rapid increaser. A.M. 1952. **\$1.00**

PINNACLE (Stevens, '49) M. 37"

Until this beautiful Iris from New Zealand was introduced there had not been a yellow and white amoena. This popular Iris has sparkling white standards and primrose yellow falls. Very rapid increaser and a profuse bloomer. A.M. '51. 15th on Popularity Poll '59. **\$1.00**

POLAR CAP (Stevens, '56) M. 36"

This is Mrs. Stevens most original creation since Pinnacle. Falls are a delicate lavender blue with heavy crystalline substance—the standards are a frosty, sparkling white. A profuse bloomer of well formed flowers on stout stems with good branching. H.M. '56. **\$7.50**

POLLY THRALL (Barker, '50) M. 32"

A delightful new border Iris—a yellow and white reverse bicolor. The closed standards are pale yellow and the flaring falls are white with the underside light lemon yellow. Pale lemon beard. Stands up very well in hot sun. **\$1.50 each**

PRECIOUS CARGO (Schmelzer, '57) L. 34"

A frilly, pearly-rose self with a slight yellow infusion at the hafts. It is an exceedingly iridescent Iris and very lovely. It was "a must" for us after seeing it for the first time at the A.I.S. Convention in 1958. **\$5.00**

PRETTY QUADROON (Kleinsorge, '48) M. 34"

Smooth, metallic light copper brown with a hint of lavender and gold undertones. Brown beard. Flowers are large, wide spreading falls, closed standards. **\$2.00**

**PRINCE OF MONACO (Kleinsorge, '56)
M. 42"**

A tall, purple bitone. The crinkled standards are a brilliant violet blue. The flaring, wide falls are a lustrous deep violet-purple. A richly hued Iris on strong, tall stalks in a new color combination **\$6.00**

PUFF BALL (Knowlton, '47) M. 28"

A medium sized chalk-white border Iris which is an eye-catcher. Closed standards and round very flaring falls. Appealing and lovely. **\$1.50**

PURPLE HAVEN (Reynolds, '57) M.L. 37"

A true purple self including the beard. Nicely ruffled falls which are semi-flaring. Greatly admired. H.M. '57. **\$8.00**

QUECHEE (Knowlton, '50) M. 37"

A handsome garnet red self of beautiful form. Due to the heavy substance, flowers do not burn or fade in a hot sun. Smooth and rich. H.M. 1950. **\$1.00**

QUEEN'S LACE (Muhlestein, '55) M.L. 32"

Heavily laced white with creamy yellow edges and center. A much talked about Iris. H.M. '55 A.M. '57. On Pop. List '59 **\$7.50**

QUEEN'S TASTE (G. Douglas, '52) M. 38"

A charming Iris of a new and lovely color combination. Standards are lavender-pink and the broad, flaring falls are a glowing rosy-red. Impresses everyone with its beauty and individuality. A.M. 1955. **\$2.50**

RADIANT RED (H.F. Hall, '53) M.L. 39"

Glowing mahogany bitone—standards slightly lighter in color than the velvety falls. Flower is rich and smooth, without veining and is non-fading. Good bloomer, strong stalks with good branching. **\$1.00**

RANGER (Kleinsorge, '43) L. 36"

Almost a true crimson red. Dark but still brilliant in tone. Large, long flower with cone shaped standards and wide, glossy falls. Wonderful texture and excellent branching. One of the last to bloom. Produces many flowers. A.M. 1946. **\$1.00**

RASPBERRY RIBBON (Schreiner, '51) M. 34"

A plicata which attracts the garden visitor from afar. It is a much improved Minnie Colquitt, being fresher, brighter and starchier in form. If you like plicatas be sure to get this one. A.M. 1955. **\$1.00**

REAL GOLD (Austin, '51) E.M. 34"

A recent oncobred of great beauty. Standards are a glistening golden buff, falls a deeper golden buff with a network of soft brown veins. **\$2.50**

RED RETICENCE (Dolman, '47) E.M. 36"

Medium red self. A very free blooming bright Iris which has the distinction of being the earliest red to bloom. Fragrant. **\$1.00**

REHOBETH (DeForest, '53) M. 36"

A fine Iris of pale sky blue. Flower has excellent form and substance, with a satin sheen. A highly praised Iris that is different from any other blue. A.M. 1956. On Popular 100 List '59. **\$3.00**

ROSE AMETHYST (Kleinsorge, '57) M. 37"

A new plum colored Iris with a rosy glow and soft brown hafts. Flowers large and perfectly formed. **\$6.00**

ROSAFLARE (Buss, '57) M. 36"

A bold blend of coppery rose. Large, broad-petaled, flaring flower of good substance. **\$2.50**

ROSY VEIL (H. Sass, '53) M. 36"

A dainty plicata of medium size and beautiful form. A glistening white with edging of rosy heliotrope which forms the border of web-like stichings. A.M. 1959. **\$3.00**

ROYAL SOVEREIGN (Stevens, '51) M.L. 38"

Smooth, light orange in color with falls of rich plush-velvet falls and taffeta-textured standards. Stands hottest sun with no fading. Flowers large, rapid increaser. H.M. 1953. On Popularity List '59. **\$1.00**

**RUFFLED APACHE (Wallace, '54)
M.L. 36"**

A large blend of red and gold. Standards are golden yellow and falls a red blend. Entire flower is heavily laced and ruffled. Quite showy. **\$5.00**

**RUFFLED ELEGANCE (H.M. White '55)
M.L. 38"**

Standards petunia violet, falls chinese violet, margins on both darker. Effect is rosy violet blend. Large flowers well branched and a star in any Iris garden. **\$3.00**

**RUFFLED ORGANDY (Brenan, '53)
E.M. 38"**

This beautiful Iris is well named. It is a ruffled ivory-cream with a translucent lavender-pearl undertone. Falls etched with a light gold border. It is a flower that must be seen to be fully appreciated. Tall stalks with 5-way branching and up to 17 buds over its long blooming period. A.M. 1955.

\$1.50

RUFFLED TAFFETA (Miess, '54) M. 40"

Pinkish lavender over-all, with a contrasting cream colored beard. Flowers are very large and beautifully ruffled. Substance is remarkably good and the plants are vigorous and rapid increasers. A.M. '59. **\$6.00**

RUM PARFAIT (Fraim, '57) E.M. 36"

A greenish cream self with lemon beard and hafts. Moderate sized flowers of fine substance are delightfully ruffled. **\$3.00**

SABLE NIGHT (P. Cook, '52) M. 38"

The winner of the Dykes Medal 1955. Darkest black purple to date, falls almost black with velvety sheen. A.M. 1954. Very showy. 7th on Popularity Poll. **\$3.50**

SERENE VALLEY (Smith, '52) E. 41"

An early blooming large ruffled light blue self. 7 inch flowers on tall, well branched stalks. H.C. '51. **\$3.00**

SEVENTH HEAVEN (Lapham, '55) M. 30"

A pure shell pink border Iris with a pink beard. Strong growing and free flowering. Wonderful size for flower arrangements, as flowers are of medium size on well branched stalks. **\$3.00**

SHINING HOUR (Tompkins, '55) M. 38"

A large flower of deep chartreuse amber with a deep chestnut brown undertone. Has a glittering finish and great brilliance. Broad ruffled petals of heavy substance. Husky plants and a rapid increaser. **\$2.00**

*** SNOWY HERON (Schreiner, '59) M.L. 40"**

A new white — immense glossy milk-white flowers on tall strong stalks with good branching. A heavy bloomer with three and four flowers open at one time on a single stalk. Limited stock. **\$12.00**

SOLID GOLD (Kleinsorge, '51) M. 38"

Supposed to be the finest deep yellow introduced today. According to the introducer it is the deepest yellow imaginable, huge in size and ideally formed. Stands out like a beacon light to all parts of the garden. A.M. 1953. Popular 100 List. **\$1.00**

SOLID MAHOGANY (J. Sass, '44) M. 38"

A smooth, deep brownish red — rich and glowing. Fine form, texture and branching. An impressive Iris of high quality. A.M. 1947. **\$1.00**

SONG OF SONGS (Crosby, '50) M. 36"

Light yellow standards, white falls edged with same color as the standards. All petals are edged with lacing and ruffling. **\$1.00**

SPANISH CREAM (Dolman, '52) L.M. 40"

A tall, robust, two-toned light yellow, suggesting the confection that Mother used to make. The flowers are ruffled, of very firm substance and great resistance to wind and rain; they are well placed on strong widely branched stalks. H.C. '51, **\$1.00**

**SPANISH FANDANGO (Kleinsorge, '51)
M. 48"**

A variegata with flaring falls of a vivid chestnut-red and ruffled closed standards of coppery yellow. A greatly improved Mexico. A rampant grower, very tall with good wide branching. H.M. 1952. **\$1.50**

SPANISH PEAKS (Loomis, '47) M. 38"

Large, broad petaled, pure white flower of heavy substance. Form is good, ruffled and on strong, tall stalks. Popular 100 List. A.M. 1950. **\$1.00**

SPELLBOUND (Linse, '51) M. 42"

An Iris of outstanding form done in reddish brown with a golden overlay. Ruffled, horizontally flaring falls. A brilliant, glowing eye catcher. H.M. 1952. **\$2.00**

SPRING MELODY (Miess, '54) M.L. 40"

This new introduction of Miss Miess's is a pure, dandelion-yellow. The flower is beautifully ruffled, has good form and excellent substance. **\$4.00**

STORM WARNING (Schreiner, '53) M. 36"

A new black Iris which is not only black but on 36" stalk. Good form and nice ruffling. Will be much in demand. **\$1.50**

STORMY SKIES (Plough, '53) M. 40"

A blend that is different. Smoky buff with a violet flush below a big, rich yellow beard. H.C. 1952. **\$2.00**

SUMMER SONG (Nesmith, '53) M. 39"

A beautiful new Iris which has great carrying power in the garden as it is so brilliant and glowing. It is a deep orange buff in color, sparkling as if dusted with gold particles. Perfect flaring form-falls almost horizontal. Flowers have exceptional lasting qualities. H.M. 1952. **\$2.00**

SUMMIT (Stevens, '51) M. 40"

In 1949 Mrs. Stevens created quite a stir in Iris circles with Pinnacle—a new color break. This yellow Amoena is similar to Pinnacle except that instead of light yellow falls and white standards, it has deep yellow in the falls and white standards. **\$1.00**

SUNRAY (David Hall, '50) L. 36"

A large ruffled light yellow of ideal form and extra heavy substance. Has a sheen and brilliance rarely found in yellows. **\$1.00**

SUNSET GLOW (H. F. Hall, '53) M.L. 39"

A beautiful garnet-brown self with a rich orange beard. Thick velvety texture. Holds color well under adverse weather conditions and is a vigorous grower. **\$1.50**

SURPRISE PARTY (Kleinsorge, '55) M. 36"

An iris of a new color combination. Rosy lavender standards and golden apricot falls. Flower has a definite color contrast and garden value. H.M. 1956. **\$3.50**

SURRENDER (Thompkins, '51) M.L. 38"

An Iris which is entirely different from any other. The color is a velvety white with a bright canary yellow flowing over the hafts and upper fall, fading out around the edges in minute plicata like markings of yellow and faint pink. Flowers are large, broad petals and tailored form. **\$1.00**

SWAN BALLET (Muhlestein, '55) M.L. 37"

A new white which has been greatly praised by all who have seen it. A beautiful pure white with a white beard. Falls are very round and horizontally flared, somewhat ruffled and of heavy substance. The winner of the Dykes Medal last year. 12th on Pop. Poll 1959 and leading white. **\$12.50**

SWEETHEART'S FOLLY (Cassebeer, '57) M. 35"

A large, charming creamy white flower intriguingly suffused with gold, particularly at the haft. Standards are firm and ruffled; the falls broad and waved; beard is orange. Flower is 6" high and 7" across. **\$10.00**

TABASCO (Craig, '51) M. 38"

A stunning, massive yellow plicata with an overall sprinkling of rich orange red. Like paprika sprinkled over an omelet. Very striking. H.M. 1954. **\$2.00**

TABU (Schreiner, 1954) M. 38"

This Iris is claimed to be the last word in the dark blue-black class. It has a rich velvety finish with silken overtones. Larger and taller than most other so called black Irises of recent introduction. Stock limited and demand will be great. H.M. 1954. **\$2.00**

TAHOLAH (Gibson, '56) M.L. 36"

A beautiful new and novel plicata. Ground color is creamy ivory, the standards heavily shaded cinnamon-red and the falls brushed with the same at the haft and around the edges. Flowers are large, ruffled and of excellent substance. Was first in Judges' Choice balloting of very new varieties in '57. A.M. 1958. **\$10.00**

TALL CHIEF (DeForest, '56) M. 37"

A bright, richly colored red self without any haft markings. Horizontally flaring falls with a brilliant orange beard. Good branching and flowers evenly spaced. **\$6.00**

TALLY HO (Hall, '49) E.M. 32"

An Iris which is new, pleasing and different. Upper part of falls is quite similar in coloring to the bright fuchsia orchids. Standards and lower part of falls are lighter. For the hybridizer it is a wonderful parent—parent of Heritage, Pink Sensation and Fuchsia. H.M. 1950. **\$2.00**

TEXAS WAY (DeForest, '54) M. 34"

A huge dark purple with wide, rounded falls that are nearly horizontal. Wide closed standards. Very weather resistant. One of the largest Irises. **\$5.00**

THORWALD (Knowlton, '55) M.L. 39"

A large, broad petaled orange blend. Standards are yellow ochre, standards same base color flushed at center with Spanish orange around rich orange beard. **\$2.50**

THOTMES III (Kleinsorge, '50) M. 40"

A new smooth self of glistening golden tan with a light bronze beard. A very large flower of heavy texture with extra broad falls. A.M. 1953. **\$1.50**

*** TOLL GATE (Cook, '58) M. 40"**

Big, bold and striking. Standards are pale blue, falls dark violet blue. Yellow beard across haft gives an additional and distinctive character. This new amoena is much sought after and stock scarce. H.M. '59. **\$20.00**

TOP FAVORITE (Schreiner, '57) M.L. 38"

A new refreshing orchid pink with stardust sheen. Probably the largest pink in existence, excellent form and a leathery substance. This showy Iris will be greatly in demand. **\$7.50**

TOP FLIGHT (D. Hall, '53) M.L. 34"

Flaring, deep, rich orange apricot with a fiery orange-red beard which is very thick and heavy. Wonderful form and substance. A.M. 1955. **\$1.50**

TOWN TALK (Lapham, '54) M. 40"

A large flower of dull flame red. Heavy orange beard. Excellent substance. **\$5.00**

TRANQUILITY (Fay, '50) M. 38"

A very large milk-white flower with a white beard. Flower is round with broad petals, domed standards with nicely flaring falls. Perfect branching. A splendid white which we recommend highly. A.M. '53. **\$1.50**

TRIM (McKee, '56) M. 36"

A very smooth coppery-brown red with a sparkling sheen. A vigorous grower with very good branching. (Plant Patent #1592). Sold subject to Patent Law. Net **\$10.00**

TRULY YOURS (O. Fay, '49) L. 38"

A gigantic flower of an unusual color pattern. The heart of the flower is bright yellow, shading off to almost white at the top of the standards and the bottom of the falls. Entire flower is ruffled with lace-like edges, as in Chantilly. A most spectacular flower. A.M. 1951. Dykes Medal Winner for 1953. 4th on Popularity Poll 1959. **\$2.00**

VALGANZA (Brenan '53) M. 38"

A new color variegata with yellow standards and reddish purple falls. Very striking. **\$2.00**

VANITY FAIR (Hall, '51) V.L. 36"

Clear medium true pink, smooth and tailored in appearance. Lots of color, beautiful form, good height and a very fiery tangerine beard. Since most of all the Flamingo-pinks are finished blooming rather early in the season, this one is special interest being a very late bloomer. Gives a most creditable performance during rainy, windy weather. H.M. 1952. **\$3.00**

VICTORIAN VEIL (Craig, '50) M. 44"

Huge blossoms of snow white ground color very heavily sprayed with rose-violet, giving a bi-tone effect. Beautifully ruffled broad petals. **\$1.00**

VIOLET HARMONY (Lowry, '52) M. 40"

This handsome Iris was the Dykes Medal winner for 1957. It is a large, nicely ruffled flower of firm texture—almost a violet self, except for a lighter flush at the haft. Truly a top quality Iris of great charm. A.M. '54. 2nd on Popularity Poll 1959. **\$2.50**

VIOLET HILLS (DeForest, '56) M. 40"

Fred DeForest's top introduction for 1956. A very large self of glistening Fluorite Violet with blue tipped beard. Much deeper in color and quite different from First Violet which won the Dykes Medal in 1956. A clean, clear color with no haft markings. Perfect branching, excellent substance. A.M. 1958. **\$10.00**

WATERLILY (Kleinsorge, '53) M. 34"

A new Iris which is different in form and color. An ivory-buff with flat falls and closed but crinkled standards. General color effect is light toned chamois skin, sprinkled with gold particles. Faint lavender cast in center of falls. Charming. **\$3.00**

WATERMELON (Waters, 1954) M. 38"

Named because it is the color of the inside of a watermelon that is not quite ripe. Color is a blend of greenish light lemon and deep watermelon pink. A large ruffled flower of extra heavy substance. **\$5.00**

WAXING MOON (O. Fay, '57) M. 35"

A very clear medium light yellow with a beard to match; no haft marks. Round and full petaled. Well branched. H.M. 1957. A.M. 1959. **\$10.00**

WEDDING BOUQUET (Buttrick, '52) M. 35"

There are many good whites but here is a new one which is extra good and quite distinctive. Pure white, heavily ruffled flowers broad, full petaled semi-flaring falls, fine well domed standards. Buds are pale char-treuse. Flowers well spaced on excellent branching. On Popular 100 List. A.M. 1956. **\$2.50**

WHIMSY (DeForest, '57) M. 37"

A new bicolor with medium violet standards and rich brown falls. Large, smooth and intriguing. **\$7.50**

WHIRLAWAY (Voris, '57) M. 38"

A brilliant medium yellow with a lighter blaze in center of falls. Ruffled horizontal falls, ruffled closed standards. Many large flowers born on very stout, well branched stalks. In our guest seedling bed in 1957 this iris had more votes than all the others added together. It is a dandy. **\$5.00**

WHITE PALOMINO (D. Hall, '58) M. 36"

This is an exact replica of the popular Palomino, which was runner-up for the Dykes Medal in 1957, except that it is white. It has the coppery overlay on the hafts, and the standards blend into copper at the base. Beard tangerine-red. **\$10.00**

WHITE TOWER (Schreiner, '51) E. 42"

Absolutely the tallest, and one of the largest and whitest white Irises on the market to-day. Although large, it has good form with broad falls of firm substance and fine texture. Gold beard and haft. Blooms well spaced on the tall stalks. A majestic Iris which is very well named. **\$1.00**

WISSINOMING (Dolman, '53) M. 38"

A tailored, lavender-blue self of very clear tone. Tall with fine branching. One of the most floriferous Iris we grow, with as many as ten blooms to a stalk. **\$1.00 each**

YELLOW TOWER (Muhlestein, '50) M. 38"

An imposing medium yellow wide and full in parts. Tall and well branched. **\$1.00**

ZANTHA (O. Fay, '47) E.M. 37"

Large and imposing, well formed flowers of rich, deep yellow. Clean and pure self-yellow beard. Make a wonderful exhibition stalk. Velvety semi flaring falls. Winner of Pres. Cup 1947. Very fine. Popular 100 List. **\$1.00**

*** ZULU WARRIOR (Craig, '54) E. 40"**

Large ruffled yellow plicata with a dense wine-berry border. Exceptionally fine form and heavy substance. Often twice blooming. H.M. 1954. **\$7.50**

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- * **AMANDINE** (Douglas, '46) M.L. 34"—Beautiful pale cream. Runner-up for the Dykes Medal 1952.
- APRICOT SUPREME** (Tompkins, '51) M. 38"—Tall, large flower of deep apricot.
- BALLET DANCER** (Kleinsorge, '49) M.L. 38"—Golden apricot self, falls very flaring.
- BLACK FOREST** (Schreiner, '45) M.L. 32"—Rich, silky blue-black border iris.
- BLACK RUBY** (Dolman, '49) E. 35"—Black-red, smooth and glossy. Long blooming.
- * **BLUE RHYTHM** (Whiting, '45) M.L. 38"—Very large flowers of soft cornflower blue with silvery overtone. Pres. Cup and Dykes Medal 1950.
- * **BLUE SHIMMER** (J. Sass, '42) M. 38"—Leading plicata on popular 100 List, white base blue edging. Very popular.
- BLUE VALLEY** (K. Smith, '47) M.L. 39"—Sparkling medium blue. Ruffled and flaring.
- BRONZ BROCADE** (Nesmith, '48) M.L. 40"—S. bronzy red, F. brown flushed purple. Brown band borders standards and falls.
- * **CASCADE SPLENDOR** (Kleinsorge, '45) M. 38"—Large, ruffled flowers of pink, apricot and tan smoothly blended.
- CHAMOIS** (Kleinsorge, '44) M. 36"—Large, pure chamois color. Soft, satiny finish.
- * **CHANTILLY** (D. Hall, '45) M. 36"—Heavily ruffled and frilled orchid pink. Lacey.
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- CORDOVAN** (Kleinsorge, '46) M. 34"—A large, rich brown red. Glossy sheen. Very fine
- DISTANCE** (Cook, '46) M. 36"—Evenly colored silvery light blue. White beard.
- EASTER BONNET** (Maxwell, '44) E.M. 35"—Large blush pink, bordered burnished gold.
- ENVOY** (DeFOREST, '49) M. 34"—A very fine, velvety, near-black bitone.
- EXTRAVAGANZA** (Douglas, '44) L. 36"—Cream-white standards with rich, velvety prune-plum falls. A striking amoena. Very late.
- FANTASY** (Hall, '47) M. 30"—A lovely rose and orchid toned pink. Tang. beard.
- FIRECRACKER** (Hall, '43) M. 33"—Dark burgundy red plicata, yellow edging.
- GARDEN GLORY** (Whiting, '43) M.L. 30"—A flaring rich Bordeaux red. Enamel finish.
- GAY BORDER** (DeForest, '49) M. 40"—White plicata, evenly bordered maroon. Showy.
- * **GREAT LAKES** (Cousins, '38) M. 40"—Pure, clear blue. Dykes Medal for 1942.
- GYPSY BARON** (Schreiner, '42) E.M. 40"—Plicata-blue-purple marbling on silvery white.
- HARRIET THOREAU** (Cook, '44) M. 38"—Beautiful orchid pink. Well formed flowers.
- HELEN MCGREGOR** (Graves, '46) M. 36"—A clear, pale blue of great purity. Flowers ruffled and flaring. Dykes Medal '49.
- HERITAGE** (Hall, '49) M. 32"—A deep, seashell pink, Tang. beard. Fragrant.
- HI-TIME** (D. HALL, '50) M. 34"—A lustrous, golden apricot self, tangerine beard.
- INSPIRATION** (Stevens, '37) M. 38"—Large, lustrous flowers of glistening light carmine.
- JAKE** (Sass, '43) L. 40"—Tall, glistening white. Heavy substance.
- JASPER AGATE** (Williams, '43) M.L. 34"—Copper gold-red shades. Color gem—late.
- JULIET** (Kleinsorge, '46) M. 36"—Colorful blend of flame copper and salmon.
- KING'S JESTER** (Stevens, '48) M. 38"—Unusual stitching of rosy maroon on silvery white.

- LAMPLIGHT** (Schreiner, '44) M. 34"—Color is a smooth blend of buff and copper.
- LAVENDER & GOLD LACE** (Whiting, '46)—S. tan, flushed lavender, F. same, edged gold.
- MALAY** (Kleinsorge, '52) M. 30"—Rich and brilliant ginger-brown self.
- MATTIE GATES** (Sass, '46) M. 38"—S. lemon-chrome, F. white, border lemon chrome.
- MELODIST** (DeForest, '46) M. 36"—Beautiful blend of salmon and burnished henna-golden apricot. Large and flaring.
- MIDCONTINENT** (Whiting, '52) M.L. 40"—Rich, golden brown. Long bloomer.
- MIOGEM** (McKee, '47) M. 36"—Iridescent blend of wine, fuchsia red and blue intermingled with brownish tones.
- * **MINNIE COLQUITT** (H. Sass, '42) M. 35"—A striking plicata. Broad band of wine-purple stitching on large white flower.
- MOONLIGHT SONATA** (Steven, '46) L. 35"—A very fine iris of soft, cool yellow. A late bloomer with carrying power.
- * **MULBERRY ROSE** (Schreiner, '41) M. 40"—Mulberry rose self. Very fine.
- * **OLA KALA** (Sass, '43) M.L. 38"—A deep, orange yellow which has been a top favorite for years. Dykes Medal winner 1948.
- ON GUARD** (Carpenter, '49) M.L. 40"—Warm soft yellow with lighter area in falls.
- ORMOHR** (Kleinsorge, '37) M. 40"—Pale lilac, silver overcast, violet veining.
- PATRICE** (DeForest, '45) M. 38"—Tall plicata, peach & rosy lavender on cream.
- PINK CAMEO** (Fay, '46) E.M. 36"—Clear, pale light pink, tangerine beard.
- PRAIRIE SUNSET** (Sass, '39) M. 36"—An iridescent blend of peach, rose, copper and gold. Dykes Medal 1943.
- PRISCILLA** (Whiting, '42) E.M. 26"—Pure, white, even beard. Medium size, low.
- QUICKSILVER** (Schreiner, '53)—A silvery, clear light blue. Very fine.
- RED TORCH** (H. Sass, '47) L. 34"—Brilliant variegata. S. bronze, F. velvety red.
- RELENTLESS** (Cook, '48) M.L. 38"—Pure solid, deep rich red. Holds color in sun.
- RUFFLED BOUQUET** (Rees, '47) E.M. 36"—Ruffled flower of smooth rich cream.
- RUMBA ROSE** (Whiting, '49) M.L. 38"—Beautiful amoena-S. orchid pink. F. rose.
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- SEALARK** (Muhlestein, '46) E.M. 38"—Violet blue, flush of purple in S. and F.
- SHANNOPIN** (Pillow, '40) M. 40"—S. Creamy white, F. rosy pink. Striking. Tall.
- SHARKSKIN** (Douglas, '42) M. 38"—White with marvelous substance. Flaring.
- SKY RANGER** (Hall, '48) M. 50"—Very tall—heavily ruffled medium blue.
- SNOW CARNIVAL** (Graves, '42) M. 38"—Huge, flaring white of heavy substance.
- * **SNOW FLURRY** (Rees, '39) E. 40"—Blue icy white flower, frilled and ruffled on tall stalks. 27th on Popularity Poll.
- STATEN ISLAND** (Smith, '47) L. 38"—Fine variegata. S. bright gold, F. velvety red.
- SULTAN'S ROBE** (Salbach, '45) M. 36"—Rich blend of copper, gold, red and old rose.
- THREE OAKS** (Whiting, '43) M. 40"—Beautiful blend of rose-pink and copper. Large
- TRANQUIL MOON** (Cook, '48) M.L. 40"—Light yellow standards, silvery white falls, yellow border. Wide and flaring.
- VATICAN PURPLE** (Whiting, '43) M.L. 36"—Deep, glossy blue-purple. Very fine.
- VELVET DUSK** (Schreiner, '48) M.L. 36"—Very dark purple. Glistening sheen.
- VOODOO** (Kleinsorge, '48) L. 34"—S. rich chocolate brown, F. blackish red-brown.
- YELLOWTOP** (Dolmar, '52) L. 40"—Standards chrome yellow, falls white, edged yellow.

NOTE—Varieties marked with (*) are on the 1959 Most Popular 100 List.

POPULARITY POLL

THE 100 FAVORITE IRIS OF 1959

As voted by members of the American Iris Society

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| 1 Blue Sapphire | 34 Cathedral Bells | 68 Golden Garland |
| 2 Violet Harmony | 35 Thotmes III | 69 Snow Goddess |
| 3 Mary Randall | 36 Tranquility | — White Peacock |
| 4 Truly Yours | 37 Regina Maria | 71 Native Dancer |
| 5 Palomino | 38 Blue Shimmer | 72 Beechleaf |
| 6 Happy Birthday | — Desert Song | 73 Temple Bells |
| 7 Sable Night | — Minnie Colquitt | 74 Carmela |
| 8 First Violet | 41 Galilee | 75 Cherie |
| 9 June Meredith | 42 Wabash | — Great Lakes |
| 10 Limelight | 43 Sierra Skies | 77 Helen Collingwood |
| 11 Pierre Menard | — Taholah | 78 Chantilly |
| 12 Swan Ballet | 45 Lady Ilse | — Dotted Swiss |
| 13 Black Hills | 46 Harbor Blue | — Lady Rogers |
| 14 Inca Chief | 47 Char-Maize | 81 Gold Sovereign |
| 15 Pinnacle | 48 Eleanor's Pride | 82 Crispette |
| 16 Argus Pheasant | 49 Whole Cloth | — Melodrama |
| 17 Chivalry | 50 Zantha | 84 Wedding Bouquet |
| 18 Frost and Flame | 51 Cahokia | 85 Foxfire |
| 19 Black Taffeta | 52 Cloudcap | — Lynn Hall |
| 20 Ola Kala | — Dreamy | 87 Apricot Glory |
| 21 Cliffs of Dover | 54 Port Wine | 88 Ballerina |
| 22 Elmohr | 55 Spanish Peaks | 89 Belle Meade |
| 23 Rehobeth | 56 Jane Phillips | 90 Big Game |
| 24 Starshine | 57 May Hall | — Cascade Splendor |
| 25 Frances Craig | — Party Dress | 92 Amethyst Flame |
| 26 Lady Mohr | 59 Helen McGregor | — Storm Warning |
| 27 New Snow | 60 Caroline Jane | 94 Patrician |
| 28 Top Flight | 61 Deep Black | 95 Pink Formal |
| 29 Blue Rhythm | 62 Melody Lane | 96 Fleeta |
| 30 Cascadian | 63 Queen's Lace | 97 Golden Russet |
| 31 Techny Chimes | 64 Majorette | 98 Mystic Melody |
| 32 Butterscotch Kiss | — Solid Gold | 99 Lavanisque |
| — Snow Flurry | 66 Amandine | 100 Mulberry Rose |
| | — Sable | |



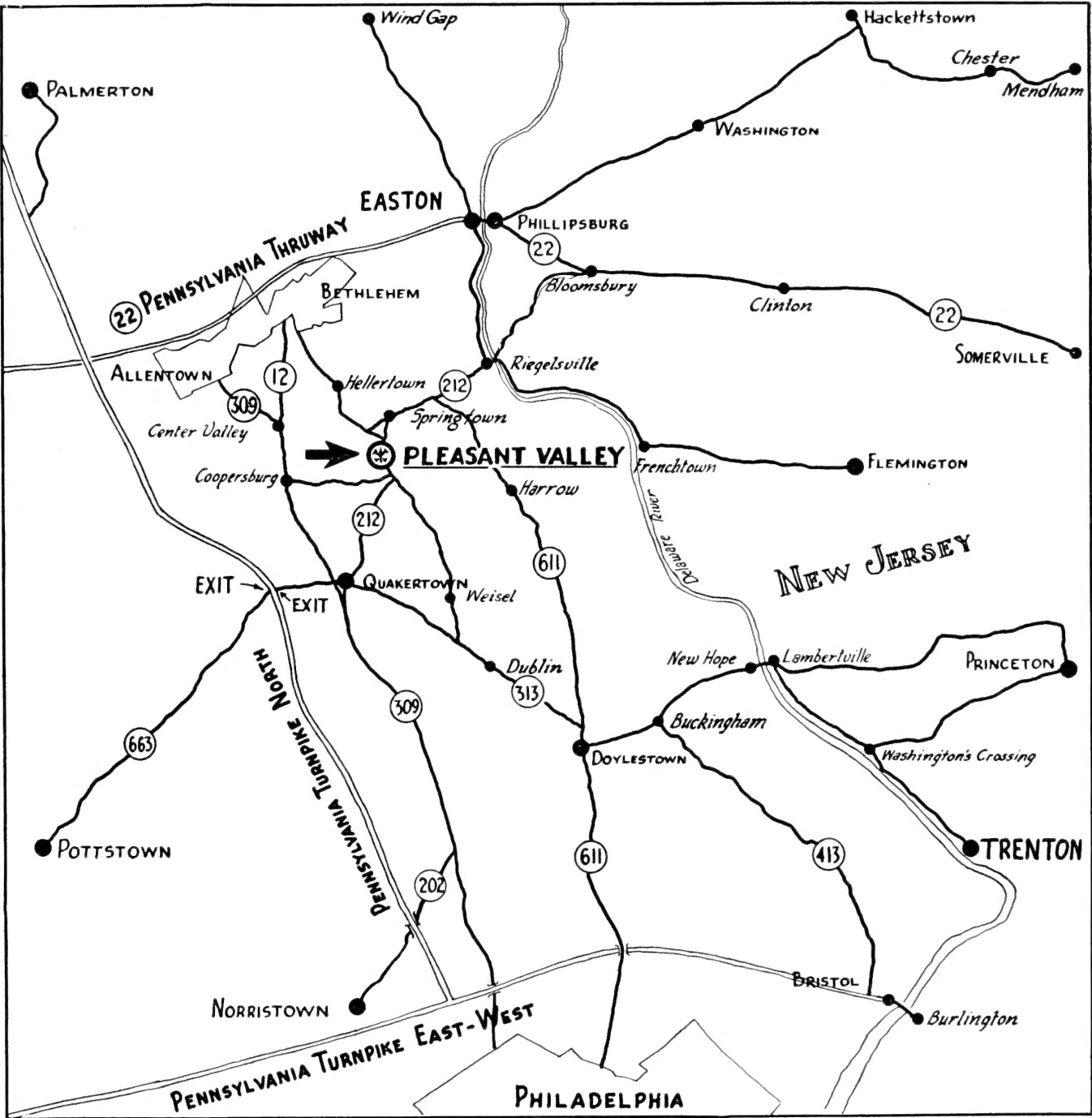
DYKES MEDAL WINNERS

EACH YEAR ALL THE JUDGES OF THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY VOTE FOR THE OUTSTANDING IRIS AMONG THOSE WHICH HAVE WON THE AWARD OF MERIT DURING THE PREVIOUS THREE YEARS. THE DYKES MEDAL GOES TO THE WINNER OF THIS HIGH HONOR. BELOW ARE THE WINNERS FOR THE PAST EIGHTEEN YEARS:

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| 1942—Great Lakes | 1951—Cherie |
| 1943—Prairie Sunset | 1952—Argus Pheasant |
| 1944—Spun Gold | 1953—Truly Yours |
| 1945—Elmohr | 1954—Mary Randall |
| 1946—Due to a tie, no award | 1955—Sable Night |
| 1947—Chivalry | 1956—First Violet |
| 1948—Ola Kala | 1957—Violet Harmony |
| 1949—Helen McGregor | 1958—Blue Sapphire |
| 1950—Blue Rhythm | 1959—Swan Ballet |

LOCATION OF CHERRY HILL IRIS GARDENS

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From	Miles	From	Miles	From	Miles
Allentown, Pa.	12	Lancaster, Pa.	80	Princeton, N.J.	50
Bethlehem, Pa.	10	Morristown, N.J.	60	Quakertown, Pa.	8
Baltimore, Md.	140	Newark, N.J.	68	Reading, Pa.	47
Binghamton, N. Y.	142	New Brunswick, N.J.	60	Somerville, N.J.	46
Chestnut Hill, Pa.	40	New Hope, Pa.	29	Stroudsburg, Pa.	43
Doylestown, Pa.	18	New York City	82	Trenton, N.J.	45
Easton, Pa.	14	Norristown, Pa.	35	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	70
Harrisburg, Pa.	92	Philadelphia, Pa.	50	Wilmington, Del.	74

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